**Listening exercise** Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**“Folsom Prison Blues” By Johnny Cash**

I hear the train a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

It's \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 'round the bend,

And I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ seen the sunshine,

Since, I don't know when,

I'm stuck in Folsom Prison,

And time keeps \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on,

But that train keeps a\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

On down to San Antone.

When I was just a baby,

My Mama told me, "Son,

Always be a good boy,

Don't ever play with guns,"

But I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a man in Reno,

Just to watch him die,

When I hear that whistle \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

I hang my head and cry.

I bet there's rich folks \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

In a fancy dining car,

They're probably \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ coffee,

And \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ big cigars,

But I know I had it \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

I know I can't be free,

But those people keep a\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

And that's what tortures me.

Well, if they \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ me from this prison,

If that railroad train was mine,

I bet I'd move out over a little,

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ down the line,

Far from Folsom Prison,

That's where I want to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

And I'd let that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ whistle,

Blow my Blues all away.

**I’m so Lonesome I Could Cry**

**By Hank Williams**

Hear that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ whippoorwill,

He sounds too \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to fly.

The midnight train is whining low,

I'm so lonesome I could cry.

I've never seen a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ so long

When time goes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by.

The moon just went behind a cloud

To \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ its face and cry.

Did you ever see a robin weep,

When \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ began to die?

That means he's lost the will to live,

I'm so lonesome I could cry.

The silence of a falling star

Lights up a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sky.

And as I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ where you are

I'm so lonesome I could cry.

**Help!**

**The Beatles**

Help, I need somebody,

Help, not just \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

Help, you know I need someone, help.

When I was younger, so much younger than today,

I never needed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ help in any way.

But now these days are gone, I'm not so self assured,

Now I find I've changed my mind and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ up the doors.

Help me if you can, I'm feeling \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

And I do appreciate you being ‘round.

Help me get my \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ back on the ground,

Won't you please, please help me?

And now my life has \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in oh so many ways,

My \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ seems to vanish in the haze.

But every now and then I feel so \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

I know that I just need you like I've never done before.

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And I do appreciate you being round.

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Won't you please, please help me, help me, help me, oh

**Heartbreak Hotel**

**By Elvis Presley**

Well, since my \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ left me  
Well, I found a new place to dwell  
Well, it's down at the end of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Street  
At Heartbreak Hotel  
  
Well, I'll be  
I'll be so lonely baby  
Well, I'm so lonely  
I'll be so lonely, I could die  
  
Oh, although it's always \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
You still can find some room  
For broken \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ lovers  
To \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ there in their gloom  
  
They'll be so  
They'll be so lonely, baby  
Well, they're so lonely  
They're so lonely, they could die

Now, the bell hop's \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ keep flowin'  
And the desk clerk's \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in black  
Well, they been so long on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Street  
They'll never ever look back  
  
And it's so  
Well, it's so lonely baby  
Well, they're so lonely  
Well, they're so lonely, they could die  
  
Well, if your baby leaves you  
You got a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to tell  
Well, just take a walk down \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Street  
To Heartbreak Hotel  
  
Where you will be  
You'll be so lonely, baby  
Well you'll be lonely  
You'll be so lonely you could die  
  
Oh, although it's always \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
You still can find some room  
For broken \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ lovers  
To \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ there in their gloom  
  
They've been so  
They're be so lonely, baby  
Well, they're so lonely  
They'll be so lonely, they could die